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In response to the Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures mailed June 18, 2002, enclosed is the following:

- a copy of the Notice to Comply and a copy of the CRF Problem Report;
- a Sequence Listing in paper form and computer-readable form;
- a Statement to Support Filing and Submission in Accordance With 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

The undersigned hereby states that the content of the attached papers and the computer-readable copy of the Sequence Listing, submitted in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821(c) and (e), respectively, are identical and contain no new matter.

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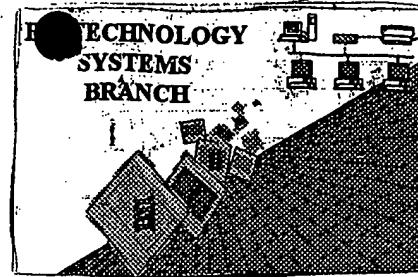
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